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SUBJECT: INVENTORY OF REGULATIONS ON TEXTILES AND APPAREL

REF: STATE A-2932 OF JULY 15, 1977

1. THE CHIEF OF THE IMPORT CONTROL BRANCH OF THE CENTRAL BANK TOLD THE ECON OFFICER THAT THE ADVANCE DEPOSIT OF 100 PERCENT OF THE C.I.F. VALUE FOR CONTINUOUS ARTIFICIAL FIBERS, OR ON ANY OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCT IMPORTS, IS NOT RPT NOT REQUIRED ANY LONGER. LIKEWISE, HE REPORTS THAT THE TRANSACTION TAX OF TWO PERCENT AD VALOREM IS NOT RPT NOT NOW LEVIED ON THE DUTY-PAID VALUE OF ALL IMPORTS, THOUGH IT IS STILL APPLIED TO ALL COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS. ON THE OTHER HAND, IMPORT LICENSES ARE REQUIRED OF ALL PRODUCTS IMPORTED FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES. THE LICENSES ARE LIBERALLY GRANTED, HOWEVER.

2. U.S. EXPORTS OF TEXTILES AND APPAREL ARE NOT RPT NOT DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BY EMBARGOES, QUOTAS, BORDER TAXES, OR SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSING OR LABELING. SIMILARLY, TARIFF RATES ARE NOT DISCRIMINATORY, THOUGH THEY ARE PROHIBITIVE ON SOME TEXTILE IMPORTS. FOR EXAMPLE, THE AD VALOREM DUTY RATE ON NEW CLOTHING FOR MEN IS 100 PERCENT, AND FOR NEW CLOTHING FOR WOMEN AND EMBROIDERY, 150 PERCENT. THE DUTY ON IMPORTED THREAD IS ALSO 100 PERCENT. THESE PROHIBITIVE RATES ARE SOMEWHAT PALLIATED BY

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THAT OF TEN PERCENT ON IMPORTS OF USED CLOTHING, WHICH CONSTITUTE MORE THAN NINETY PERCENT OF U.S. TEXTILE EXPORTS TO BURUNDI.
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